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May 22, 2014

Re: United States v. Sanjay Gupta  
Criminal No. 13-780 (PPG)  
Our File No.: 4826/12231

Honorable Paul G. Gardephe, U.S.D.J.  
United States District Court - Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

Dear Judge Gardephe:

We represent defendant Sanjay Gupta ("Mr. Gupta") with the respect to the above matter.

We write to respectfully request that Mr. Gupta's status conference currently scheduled for tomorrow, May 23, 2014, be adjourned to May 30, 2014 at 10:30 a.m., a date and time which I understand is convenient for the Court. Per my conversation with Your Honor's Chambers earlier this morning, Mr. Gupta's co-defendant, Mr. Dharayan, will also be scheduled for May 30 at 10:30 a.m.

I have conferred with Jason Hernandez, Esq., the Assistant United States Attorney handling this matter, and he consents to this request. Please be advised that Mr. Gupta consents to the exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3161 in order to continue plea negotiations.

Thank you in advance for Your Honor's time and consideration in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D. P. Conforti", written over a horizontal line.

Damian P. Conforti

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Enc.

cc: AUSA Jason Hernandez (via ECF)  
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